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SEQUENCE AND/OR AMINO ACID SEQUENCE DISCLOSURE**

In response to the "Notice to Comply With Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures" dated **May 17, 2006**, a response to which is due **June 17, 2006**, enclosed herewith is:

- ☒ Statement to Support Filing and Submission in Accordance with 37 CFR §§1.821 through 1.825;
- ☒ Substitute pages of the Sequence Listing;
- ☒ Substitute copy of the computer readable form of amended Sequence Listing;

- ☒ Amendment Directing Entry of Sequence Listing into Specification is attached
- ☒ Copy of Notice to Comply With Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures;
- ☐ Other:
- ☐ Request is hereby made under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) to extend the time for response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application of _____ to and through _____, comprising an extension of the shortened period of _____ months:

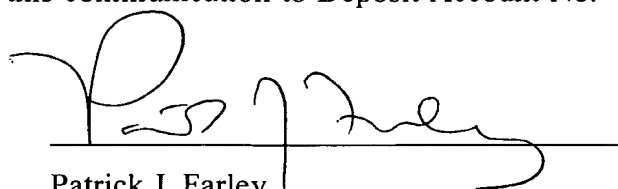
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